



TROPICAL CYCLONE BULLETIN NO. 9

Tropical Storm "ISANG" (OMAS)

Issued at 11:00 AM, 21 August 2021

Valid for broadcast until the next bulletin at 5:00 PM today

TROPICAL STORM "ISANG" GAINS STRENGTH AND IS NOW MOVING NORTHWESTWARD OVER THE PHILIPPINE SEA						
Location of Center (10:00 AM)						
The center of Tropical Storm "ISANG" was estimated based on all available data at 605 km East Northeast of Basco or Itbayat, Batanes (21.8°N, 127.6°E)						
Intensity						
Maximum sustained winds of 75 km/h near the center, gustiness of up to 90 km/h , and central pressure of 1002 hPa						
Present Movement						
Northwestward at 30 km/h						
Extent of Tropical Cyclone Winds						
Strong winds or higher extend outward up to 160 km from the center						
TRACK AND INTENSITY FORECAST						
Date and Time	Center Position			Intensity		Movement dir. and speed (km/h)
	Lat. (°N)	Lon. (°E)	Location	MSW (km/h)	Cat.	
12-Hour Forecast 8:00 PM 21 August 2021	23.0	126.5	540 km East Northeast of Itbayat, Batanes	75	TS	NW 20
24-Hour Forecast 8:00 AM 22 August 2021	24.5	125.3	545 km Northeast of Itbayat, Batanes	85	TS	NW 15
36-Hour Forecast 8:00 PM 22 August 2021	26.7	124.5	710 km North Northeast of Itbayat, Batanes (outside the PAR)	85	TS	NNW 20
48-Hour Forecast 8:00 AM 23 August 2021	29.1	123.9	945 km North Northeast of Extreme Northern Luzon (outside the PAR)	75	TS	NNW 25
60-Hour Forecast 8:00 PM 23 August 2021	34.1	124.4	1,500 km North of Extreme Northern Luzon (outside the PAR)	65	TS	N 45

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TROPICAL CYCLONE WIND SIGNALS IN EFFECT

No Tropical Cyclone Wind Signal is currently in effect.

HAZARDS AFFECTING LAND AREAS

Heavy Rainfall

"ISANG" is unlikely to directly affect the weather condition and bring heavy rainfall in the country throughout the forecast period.

Severe Winds

The latest forecast scenario for "ISANG" shows that the hoisting of Tropical Cyclone Wind Signals over any land area in the country remains unlikely. Moreover, its passage is unlikely to enhance the Southwest Monsoon and bring gusty conditions to the country.

HAZARDS AFFECTING COASTAL WATERS

In the next 24 hours, Tropical Storm "ISANG" remains less likely to cause sea conditions within the coastal waters of the country which may be risky to any type of sea vessel.

TRACK AND INTENSITY OUTLOOK

- "ISANG" will remain far from the Philippine landmass throughout the forecast period. The tropical storm is forecast to move generally northwestward today through tomorrow, turn north northwestward tomorrow evening over the East China Sea, then northward on Monday evening. On the forecast track, the tropical storm is forecast to exit the Philippine Area of Responsibility tomorrow morning or afternoon.
- This tropical storm is forecast to continue to intensify until tomorrow morning, when it is likely to reach its peak intensity. A weakening trend may commence by Sunday evening.

Considering these developments, the public and disaster risk reduction and management offices concerned are advised to take all necessary measures to protect life and property. Persons living in areas identified to be highly or very highly susceptible to these hazards are advised to follow evacuation and other instructions from local officials. **For heavy rainfall warnings, thunderstorm/rainfall advisories, and other severe weather information specific to your area, please monitor products issued by your local PAGASA Regional Services Division.**

Unless an intermediate bulletin is released, the next tropical cyclone bulletin will be issued at 5:00 PM today.

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